

1882-014 Chancery Causes: Dudley E. Dean vs. Sarah E. Dean  
Lee Co.

Eads, Friar, Frier

CA-Divorce  
T-Vices



To The Honorable John A. Kelley Judge  
of the Circuit Court of Lee County

The Complaint of Dudley E. Dean  
who respectfully represents that  
heretofore he intermarried with one  
Sarah E. Dean, with whom he lived  
for several years in the confidence &  
relation of husband and wife.

Some time in month of July 1882, he  
was astonished and grieved to learn  
by his wife's open confession that  
she had been guilty of adultery  
by repeated acts, with a neighbor  
man, which confession upon further  
enquiry proved to be true. Your  
Complainant at once, separated  
from her, refused further to live  
with or recognize her as his wife  
and has since remained separated  
from her. of this ample proof will  
in due time be made. The object of his  
bill therefore is to obtain a divorce  
full & complete from the bonds of  
matrimony now existing between them  
to affect which he prays that his said  
wife Sarah E. Dean be made a party  
defendant to this bill & answer it, alle-  
gations upon oath, and upon a



hearing, a divorce from the bonds of  
matrimony be granted him - and for  
all other just & general relief.  
May such be issued.

A. L. Prebster  
P. 2.



H. C. Flour \$5.82

A 15.00

B 1.40

Wit 1.14

\$23.36

LP

Dudley E. Dean

vs

Bill Chy

Sarah E. Dean

1882 Aug. 19<sup>th</sup> Bill Filed

" Octo. Spa. Freed & N.

" Nov. O. N. Confd + act  
for hearing by Peff

1882, Nov. Decree final



Dudley E. Dean Plff

against

Sarah E. Dean deft

{ In chy.

This Cause

Came on this day to be heard upon the bill of the plff. and the deposition of witnesses, and was argued by counsel - on considerations of which and for reasons appearing to the court, it is adjudged ordered and decreed, that the bonds of matrimony heretofore existing between the plff and defendant are dissolved and annulled and, and the plff is absolved from further obligation on account thereof. But the defendant is enjoined and inhibited from marrying again And it is ordered that the plff recover from the defendant her cash - and no further action being necessary the cause is stricken from the docket.



Dudley E. Dean

vs ~~3~~ Decree  
Final

Sarah E. Dean  
Nov. 2. 1882

Entered pages

289-90

J. H. Hyatt  
clerk

Entered this  
Dec. 2. 1882  
J. H. K.



Dudley E. Dean Plff }  
vs } In Chcy  
Sarah E. Dean Dft }

The deposition of Lewis Friar,  
taken before me  
on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Novr, 1882, at the  
Clerks' office of the Circuit Court of Lee  
County pursuant to the notice hereto  
attached, which is intended to be  
read as evidence in the above  
styled cause in behalf of the  
Plaintiff.

Lewis Friar a witness of Lawful  
age after being duly sworn deposes  
and says.

Question by the plffs Counsel -  
Do you or not, know whether, Sarah  
E. Dean, the wife of Dudley E. Dean  
has been guilty of acts of adultery?  
If so how long since, such fact came  
to your knowledge; and has the plff.  
Dudley E. Dean separated from her, and  
does he now live apart from her?

Answer I know that she has been guilty  
of acts of adultery; and that such  
occurred some time during the  
Months of last July or August



Cudley E. Dean the Plff, does not  
live with the Deft Sarah E. Dean  
and has been separated from her  
since about the months of July  
or August last.  
And further this deponent saith not

<sup>this</sup>  
Lewis Friar  
mar/2

Wit atten. 1 day .50

Mileage -  $\frac{64}{\$1.14}$

State of Virginia Lee County to wit,  
I do certify that the foregoing deposition  
of Lewis Friar was taken, sworn to and  
subscribed before me, at the time and  
place and for the purposes stated in  
the Caption, Given under my hand  
this 25<sup>th</sup> day of November 1882.

J. A. Stzatt  
Comm. in Chy

Bill of Cost

Comm. .75

Wit  $\frac{1.14}{1.89}$



Audley C. Deane  
vs <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> Depo for Dep  
Sarah C. Deane

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Filed Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> 1882  
J. A. Hyatt  
Clerk

Deane for  
Depo \$2 50  
wit 1.14  
3.64



Mrs. Sarah E. Dean:

You will please take notice that on the 25 day of November 1882 at the clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County the ~~chancery house of F. L. Pendleton~~ in the town of Jonesville Lee County Va, I will proceed to take the deposition of George Hiers and others which when taken are intended to be read as evidence in my behalf, in a certain suit in Chancery now pending in the circuit court of Lee County Virginia. in which I am plaintiff and you are defendant. And if from any cause the taking of said depositions be not commenced, on that day or if commenced be not concluded the taking thereof will, be adjourned and continued, from time to time and from place to place until the same are completed.

Dudley E. Deane



Dudley E. Dean

W<sup>1/2</sup> Patent

Sarah E. Dean

Exhibit

Nov 23<sup>rd</sup> 1882

Thos S Ely S. E. Co



The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of Lee County - - - Greeting:

We Command you to Summon

*George Friar and Lewis*

*Friar*

*me Courin Chey*

To appear before the Judge of our Circuit Court of Lee, at the Court-House, on the *25<sup>th</sup>* day of

*Nov. 1882* Term next, to testify and the truth to speak in behalf of *Oudley E. Dean*  
in certain matters of controversy pending in our said Court between *said*

*Dean*

PAINTIFF and

*Sarah E. Dean*

DEFENDANT. and this *they* shall in no wise omit under penalty of

Twenty Dollars. And have then there this writ. Witness JOHN A. G. HYATT Clerk of our said court  
at the court-house this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *Nov* 1882; in the *107* year of the Commonwealth

*J. A. G. Hyatt*  
CLERK.  
*Courin*



Dudley E. Dean  
res } Pa foramt

Sarah E. Dean

To 25 Nov. 1882

Executed Nov 25<sup>th</sup>

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The Commonwealth of Virginia,

To the Sheriff of Lee County - - - Greeting :

We Command you to Summon

*Sarah E. Dean*

To appear at the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee, at the Court-House, on the first Monday in  
*October* next, being rule day to answer a bill in Chancery, exhibited in our said Court against *her*  
by *Dudley E. Dean*

And have then there this writ. Witness JOHN A. G. HYATT Clerk of our said court at the Court-House  
this *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 188*2*; in the *10<sup>th</sup>* year of the Commonwealth.

*J. A. G. Hyatt* CLERK.



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Dudley E. Dean  
vs. Spain & Co  
Sarah E. Dean

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Lo October Rules 1882

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Entered by delivering  
a copy of the within to  
Sarah E. Dean

August 22<sup>nd</sup> 1882

Thos. L. Ely & Co.